

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 3449 - SB 3450

February 18, 2012

SUMMARY OF BILL: Replaces the existing Tennessee Wildlife Resources Commission with a new wildlife resources commission, effective July 1, 2012. Removes the commission's authority to appoint and set the salary for the executive director of the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency (TWRA). Reduces the total number of commission members from 13 to 9.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Expenditures \$14,600/Wildlife Resources Fund

Assumptions:

- Average annual travel expenses per commission members, including meals, lodging, and mileage is \$3,657.
- Reducing the number of commission members from 13 to 9 will result in a decrease in state expenditures of \$14,628 (\$3,657 x 4 members).
- Other expenses including room rentals, communications, and supplies will not be impacted by a reduction in the number of commission members.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lucian D. Geise".

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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